

Connect!

Volunteer E-Newsletter
For Girl Scouts of Kansas Heartland

 Happy Holidays! 

In This Issue

December 2009

[Volunteer Services News](#)

[Membership Services News](#)

[Program Services News](#)

[Product Sales News](#)

[New in the Council Shop](#)

[Contact Us](#)

Volunteer Services

[Back to top](#)

Membership Services

Recruitment Tips: Every Season is Recruitment Season

Unlike many of the activities girls take part in, Girl Scouting has the advantage of being a program that continues all year round! That means recruiting new members is a year-long pursuit, too! While bringing more girls into your already-formed troops can sometimes seem overwhelming, it's also an opportunity for fun, discovery and affirmation of your own commitment to Girl Scouts. Below are some simple tricks that might add a few girls to your troop!

- Your current members are the best recruiters. At your next meeting, why not have each girl sign a Christmas or New Year's Card for one of their best friends who is not a Girl Scout. Have them tell their friend what their favorite part of being a Girl Scout is and then invite her to attend the next meeting. Make sure they include the date, time and location of the meeting! (Then, you'll want to purchase the extra insurance for that meeting just in case some girls attend – it's only \$5 and has to be done 48 hours in advance – see your Membership Services Manager for details)
- Conduct a simple competition for the girl who recruits the most friends...then reward that girl with an add-a-friend patch
- Hold a special movie party specifically for add-a-friends. Admission for current Girl Scouts is one friend
- And.... Leaders, don't forget that you, too, can add-a-friend in Girl Scouting. Get your friends involved too!

[Back to top](#)

Program Services

Celebrating the New Girl Scout Year!

Planning on attending a program event? Please make sure that you have made your reservation online before the registration deadline. Extra fees will be assessed with all late registrations. If you are having trouble with the reservation system, Contact the Council office! Check the At a Glance in your program guide to verify deadline dates.

Important Program Dates.....Monday November 9th is Troop Program Aide Training from 5:30 to 8:30 at the Girl Scout office. Fee is \$7. Be sure to get your reservation in today to be part of this great program.

For more great Program in the Salina Region check your Fall 2009 Road Map!

[Back to top](#)

Product Sales Information

Fall Opportunity Sale

[Back to top](#)

See N Sell

43rd ANNUAL SEE 'N' SELL ARTS & CRAFT SHOW

[Back to top](#)

News to Use & Ideas to Motivate

Make your way to Hays to Get involved in our 1st Annual Thin Mint Sprint!

[Back to top](#)

Contact Us

Girl Scouts of Kansas Heartland

Salina Office

1550 S. Broadway

Salina, KS 67401

785-827-3679

www.kansasgirlscouts.org

So that you'll always be sure to receive *Connect*, add jamrein@kansasgirlscouts.org to your email address book.

To unsubscribe from future mailings, [click here](#).

[Back to top](#)